

Merle McAllister, for the past four months editor of the Vermont Advance, has purchased a controlling interest in the same and assumes editorial and business management.

Candidate Hughes is making good campaign speeches throughout the west. He is saying not foolish or bombastic things but "handing out" facts that cannot be otherwise than telling and convincing.

The Vermont troops are now all back in the state. The "boys" made a good record for themselves and the state while on the border and they came home receiving the well-earned and well-deserved encomium, "Well done, good and faithful servants."

The Brattleboro Reformer "guesses" that Hulburd's "narrow margin of victory" was due to the fact that his name appeared ahead of that of his opponent on the primary ballot. "Fudge! A majority of 921 is not very narrow. 'Roger' was a winner because there was a call for him, and also because, as the Rutland News says, 'he had more votes than Weeks.' Let's see, wasn't Fletcher's name ahead of Page's on the primary ballot?"

An Unpleasant Position

Says an exchange: "Every candidate for office being obliged to circulate a petition for signers is one feature about the primary that is unpleasant. It is not only embarrassing to the petitioner, but to the signer, who sometimes is in doubt just where to draw the line."

True; and we know of one or two in this county who, had they not been inveigled into signing a paper early, would like to have entered the list themselves. Oh, there are a whole lot of things about this primary that need "revamping" if it is to continue with us.

What They Paid

The expenses on the Senatorial campaign of Carroll S. Page of Hyde Park were \$21,445.08; of Allen M. Fletcher of Cavendish \$22,425.30, and of Gov. C. W. Gates \$287. John E. Weeks, defeated for nomination for Lieut.-Gov., paid out \$330.85. These figures are according to the sworn statements filed by the candidates with Secretary of State Bailey.

The candidates for County Offices have filed with County Clerk Waite a statement of their expenses. This is done according to law; neglect to do so subjects one to a fine. Here are the expenses as filed:—

Linus Levens, Rep. Senator, \$7.05.
Geo. E. Town, Sheriff, 72 cents.
M. P. Maurice, State's Attorney, \$93.02.
W. E. Tracy, State's Attorney, \$90.99.
N. G. Wood, Probate Judge, 68 cents.
J. S. Leach, Assistant Judge, 73 cents.
H. A. Jackson, Assistant Judge, \$6.40.
W. D. Strong, Democratic candidate for Senator, and C. E. Savery, Republican candidate for High Bailiff, report nothing spent.

The Prohibition candidates, which were nominated at a "mass" convention, report nothing expended.

No returns have been received from the Democratic candidates for Sheriff, Assistant Judges, State's Attorney and High Bailiff.

Those who have not filed their expense account, whether successful nominees or not, are liable to a fine of not to exceed \$500 or a term of not more than sixty days in jail.

Good Hotels an Asset

One of the big assets of any town, particularly of the country communities, is a good hotel. There are occasionally men and women who seem to be born inn-keepers, and who can make a hostelry attractive and homelike and get business enough to make their positions fairly desirable. Tucker's Tavern in Peterboro, N. H., was for years the kind of an establishment that if once visited made the guest wish to come again. Milford, some 20 miles beyond Peterboro, has not been without a hotel in more than 150 years, and the people there are naturally disturbed by the announcement that the Howison hotel, which was built originally in 1750, has been closed. It was a famous place in the old stage days, and numbered among its guests such men as Franklin Pierce and Daniel Webster.—Brattleboro Reformer.

Cady's Falls

E. K. Seaver is in Barre.

Mrs. Charles Miner was in Waterbury Monday.

Mrs. Carpenter from Johnson is working at P. O. Brigham's.

E. J. Houston and wife were visitors in Stowe over Sunday.

Miss Rosalie Perry visited Miss Kinney at Mrs. Ada Smith's Sunday.

Mrs. Adams and daughter, Hazel, from Stowe were recent visitors at E. K. Seaver's.

Dr. Rublee and family from Hardwick were visitors at Oscar Sherwin's last Sunday.

A. H. Calkins and wife and Everett Calkins and family were in West Bolton last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Batchelder from Calais and Hiram Warren and wife from Montpelier, were recent visitors at Joseph Sherman's.

Mrs. Jennie Farrington who has spent the summer with Mrs. Ada Smith returned to her home in Brooklyn, N. Y., last Monday.

Mrs. Woods' two daughters, who came from Connecticut last week to visit their grandparents, Sylvester Wood and wife, have been quarantined for two weeks.

An Editor's Birthday Observed

Upon invitation of John B. Chase, the editor of the Lyndon Union, a half dozen of his editorial friends were his guests on Saturday last. The event was in honor of Brer. Chase's birthday. The party included Col. H. E. Parker of the Bradford Opinion, W. H. Gilpin of the Barton Monitor, J. E. Appolt of the Hardwick Gazette, W. J. Bigelow of the St. Johnsbury Caledonian, C. T. Walter of the St. Johnsbury Republican and "us." The "boys" met at their host's home in Lyndon at noon and after an hour in exchanging greetings and "shop talk" the party were carried up to Speedwell Farms where they were the guests at lunch of Hon. T. N. Vail. After lunch a couple of hours were very pleasantly spent in the library in informal conversation. Mr. Vail then entertained his guests with several selections upon his pipe organ, after which some time was spent in inspecting the several green houses, where tropical plants, fruits, &c., are grown at all seasons of the year. Further social intercourse at the house concluded a delightful afternoon with a most genial host at most beautiful surroundings.

A visit was also made to the barns on the farm where the stock was inspected. The farm is now the property of the state, a gift from Mr. Vail, and under the charge of an expert superintendent, who has a large class of students.

A visit was also made to the "Old Shoppe," now maintained as a tea house by the Lyndonville Ladies Club. Here are displayed a good collection of antique relics.

With best wishes from his friends for many more birthdays the "boys" took leave of their good friend Chase.

At the urgent invitation of Brer Gilpin, Editor Appolt and "us" went with him to his home in Barton, where we remained over night with his charming family at his beautiful new home on the shores of Crystal Lake. We also visited the office of the Barton Monitor, which is now installing a linotype machine, a decided indication of prosperity.

Through the courtesy of Brer Appolt the trip was made doubly pleasant by making the same with him in his auto. The trip over Sheffield mountain to Lyndon and home via Orleans and Lowell took us through some of the finest scenery in northern Vermont.

Garfield

George Horner is at work in North Wolcott repairing a mill.

Elroy Horner was home from his work in Craftsbury over Sunday.

Joel Smith has moved from Greenfield to the Arthur Munson house.

Chester Holbrook of Centerville was a guest of his daughters on Davis Hill Sunday.

We forgot to mention last week that Earl Mower attended the Socialist Convention at Montpelier.

Mrs. Alma Campbell who has spent the past two weeks with her nieces on Davis Hill returned to Hyde Park Tuesday.

Elmer Bartlett who sold his place known as the Hull place, to George Harris last fall has bought it back again and plans to take possession soon. Mr. Harris will move to the little house below Chas. Noyes' near the Frank Strong lot.

Riverside

Mrs. Alma Crowell spent a few days at Ray Baker's last week.

Mrs. Biddle from Morrisville was at Mrs. John Laduke's Sunday.

The Manley brothers were at Willis Ruggles' in Johnson Sunday.

The Manley brothers were business visitors in Morrisville Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Styles from the village were visitors in this place Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Styles from Elmore were Sunday visitors at Gilbert Broadwell's.

Gilbert Broadwell had a very sick horse last week. Dr. Scott from Johnson was called.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lucas were in Montpelier last week to visit their sister, Mrs. Butler, who has been very ill for a long time.

Mr. and Mrs. Trudeau and friends from Coventry were Sunday visitors at his brother's, David Trudeau's. They came in their auto.

Felcherville

Edw. Tatro is very low; it is thought he can live but a short time.

Willard Boyes of Saranac Lake, is visiting his father, Will Boyes.

The work on the state road is finished and a fine piece of work it is—thanks to Dan'l Smith.

Miss Gladys Whitcomb has returned to Burlington, where she enters upon her second year at the U. V. M. She is living with Prof. Messenger.

Mrs. Blanchard was called to Underhill last Saturday by the serious illness of a grandchild. The child is so much better that Mrs. Blanchard returned Monday.

What came near being a very serious accident occurred last Saturday at the Blanchard farm when the dynamo blew to pieces, smashing the corn cutter. Fortunately nobody was injured.

Charged with not allowing a physician to pass, John Manning, driver of an auto truck, is held at Brattleboro for hearing.

Over 300 students are attending the Lyndon Institute and Vail Agricultural school.

FIFTY YEARS MARRIED

Mr. and Mrs. L. Porter Butts North Hyde Park Celebrate The Golden Wedding

Valley Hall was the scene of a happy gathering Wednesday, Sept. 20, when Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Butts entertained their relatives and friends in honor of their 50th wedding day anniversary. More than 250 people were present during the afternoon and evening to offer their congratulations and good wishes on this happy occasion.

The hall was prettily decorated with flags, autumn leaves, wild flowers and cut flowers, and made an ideal place in which to receive the many guests.

The bride and groom of fifty years ago began receiving their friends at 2 o'clock. At about 4 o'clock dainty refreshments were served. During the evening Valley Hall Orchestra was present and those who cared for dancing were given the privilege of that pleasure. The first dance of the evening was "Money Musk" and was lead off by Mr. and Mrs. Butts.

Notwithstanding the fact that the invitations issued read, "No presents expected," Mr. and Mrs. Butts were the recipients of some very nice presents including articles of gold, silver, china, coins and flowers from relatives and friends and the Gihon Valley Grange.

L. Porter Butts, son of Prosper and Melvina Luce Butts of Stowe and Lurana Munn, daughter of W. N. and Betsey Luce Munn, also of Stowe, were united in marriage at Waterbury Center, Sept. 20, 1866, by the Rev. Mr. Whitney. During the first five years of their married life they lived on the farm recently sold by Seth Lyons, then they came to the Valley House and for twenty-five years conducted a first class hotel for a village of this size. After leaving the hotel they built a residence directly opposite the hotel, where they now reside.

During the Civil War Mr. Butts responded to his country's call and enlisted, serving in the two Regiments—the 13th Vermont, Co. E. and the 5th Vermont Co. D, leaving a most honorable record. He was discharged from his country's service June 19, 1865.

Mr. Butts has held many public offices of trust and honor. In 1896 he represented our town in the Legislature. For seventeen years he served the village as postmaster, resigning April, 1915. This is the longest record as postmaster that we have of this town being served successively. Besides the other duties, he has held the office of Deputy Sheriff for over forty years. In all of his work Mr. Butts has found a capable and willing helpmate in his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Butts are both members of Gihon Valley Grange and of the G. A. R. and W. R. C.

Among the many guests present from away were: Mrs. Ullie Walker of Hartford, Conn., and two grandchildren, Blanche and Doris Wood; Mrs. Lucia Hutchins, Waterbury; Mrs. L. L. Bailey, Miss Helen Bailey and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Whiting and son, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Munn, Mrs. Bernice Ackerman and children, Mrs. Reba Hoxington and children, Chas. Munn and Mr. and Mrs. Cleon Munn and children; Mrs. Homer Stearns and daughter, Miss Ellen of Burlington; Miss Mary Butts of Jericho, all of whom were relatives.

Others who were present were—Hon. and Mrs. Heber Jackson of Waterville; Mr. and Mrs. Erastus Hinds, Huntington; Miss Edith Westcott of Boston, Mass.; Mrs. Tallman Scott, Youngstown, O.; Carroll Randall, L. P. Thayer, Hon. F. G. Fleetwood, Dr. George L. Bates, W. F. Benson, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Luce, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Smith, Mrs. Lee Tillotson, all of Morrisville; Judge and Mrs. N. G. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Stevens, Mrs. Lizzie White, Mrs. Roger Hulburd, Mrs. Edwin Lilley, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown of Hyde Park; Mr. W. H. Stearns, Johnson; Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Mower, Mr. and Mrs. Albert O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. Cassius Gray, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Maxfield, Mr. and Mrs. Allison Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Alba Stearns Eden; members of the Grange, G. A. R., and W. R. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Butts also received many letters of congratulation from friends unable to attend, whose thoughts were with them, among them were letters from—Senator Page, Rev. W. R. Hamlin, Col. and Mrs. E. B. Sawyer, Col. and Mrs. H. M. McFarland, Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Stevens, Editor and Mrs. L. H. Lewis of Hyde Park; Mr. and Mrs. Seth Hill, Hon. and Mrs. C. H. Stearns, and Harry Parker all of Johnson; Hon. and Mrs. C. S. Palmer of Jericho; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wheeler of Morrisville; Mr. and Mrs. Will Smilie of Waterville; Rev. J. E. Bowman of N. H.; Rev. and Mrs. L. P. Paige, Mass.; Editor Walter Bigelow of St. Johnsbury Caledonian; Mrs. Lula J. Demeritt, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Vigeant, Cambridge, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Straw and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hosmer of Stowe.

McKinstry Hill

Miss Weldie Stewart went Monday to work for Mrs. Joel Bessey.

Robert Bedell, who has been working in Stowe, returned home Sunday.

Mrs. Gordon Bowen of N. H., came Saturday to visit B. F. Bowen's people.

David Limlaw was called to Clarenceville, P. Q., last week to attend the funeral of his father.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whiting and children of Johnson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Jones, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Styles, Nelson Styles, Roger and Robert Bedell and Ruby Barrows autoed from Stowe Sunday and were guests of Mrs. Eva Wheeler.

Lake Eden Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Giffin and Mrs. Daley were callers at the Lake recently.

Miss Emma Hutchins is stopping with Mrs. Brady Leach. She has ordered a headstone to be placed in Eden cemetery at her father's grave.

Dr. E. C. Kilary and Miss Dodds from Burlington were callers at Bay View Sunday and the party, who have spent two weeks here, returned to Burlington with them.

Miss Emma Hutchins from West Chesterfield, N. H., has been a guest of Mrs. Blake at "Wellfleet." Miss H. is the daughter of the late Geo. Hutchins and has been a teacher for nineteen years in New Hampshire and Massachusetts, being a graduate of the Northfield Seminary.

There was a good attendance at the reception given Harrison Dubbs at the church at the Mills Saturday evening. The occasion was nicely planned and was a complete surprise to him. The program consisted of music and literary. Mr. Dubbs gave a short sketch of his boyhood life and struggle for school and college. He has given fine sermons and will be much missed.

Waterville

W. E. Tracy of Johnson transacted business here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Morrison were in Underhill recently on business.

E. B. and Ben Wetherell have sold their home place to George Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Laraway visited Dr. and Mrs. Hulburd at Jericho last week.

E. Roy Anderson and wife were visitors at A. L. Laraway's a part of last week, returning to their home in St. Albans by auto.

A daughter arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Erwin Sept. 21.

Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Stearns were in Stowe Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Dow.

Miss Gwendolyn Smith of Morrisville is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. W. P. Smilie.

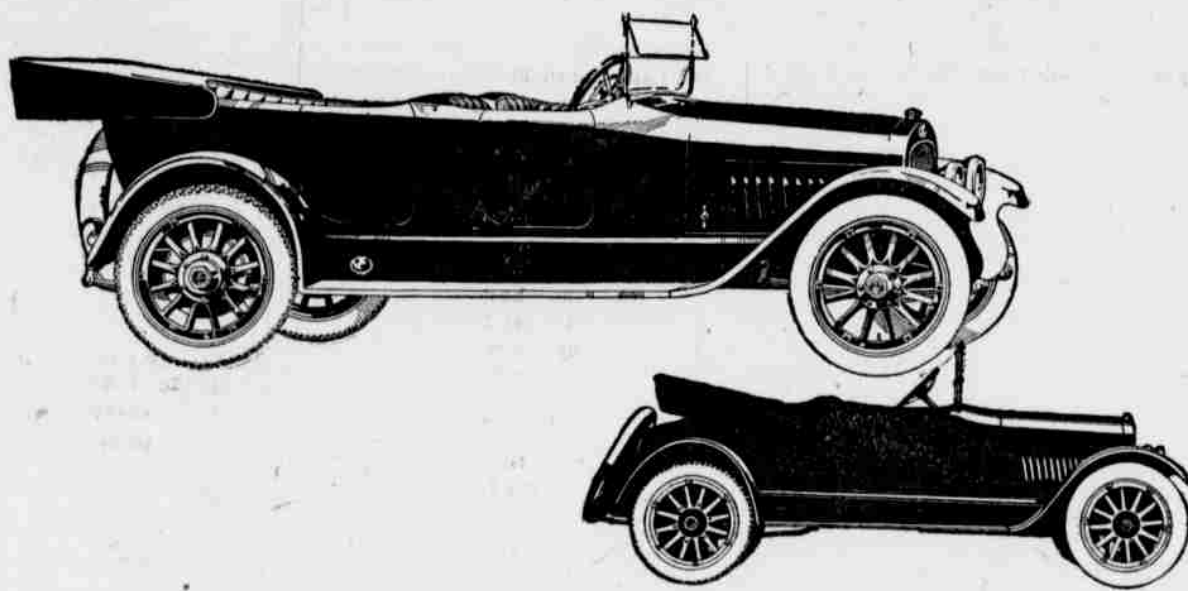
Mrs. Arthur Hall and daughter of Manchester, N. H., has been visiting her sister, Mrs. John Lumbr.

Mrs. Edia Willey was called to Morrisville Saturday by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. B. J. Kelley.

Harold Beard and Miss Eunice Prior of Williston were married at Burlington Sept. 20. They are spending their honeymoon in New York and Boston.

Sidney Rich of Wilmington, 75, is in a serious condition as the result of a fracture of his leg when kicked by a horse.

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Estate of A. Newton Camp
State of Vermont—District of Lamoille, ss.
The Hon. Probate Court for the District aforesaid:—
To the heirs and all persons interested in the Estate of A. Newton Camp, late of Morrisville, in said District, deceased: GREETING.
WHEREAS, application hath been made to this court in writing, by the Administratrix of said estate praying for license and authority to sell all of real estate of said deceased, to wit: Building and lot upon which Wagon Shop stands, with machinery thereon; lot known as the Safford lot; Lot and buildings had of May Cheney; three Lots on the Elmore road, representing to said Court that it would be beneficial to the heirs and all persons interested in the estate of said deceased, to sell said real estate and convert the same into money. And bringing into Court the consent and approbation in writing of all the heirs to said estate residing in this State, and setting forth the situation of the real estate.
WHEREUPON, the said Court appointed and assigned the 16th day of October, 1916, At the Probate Office in Hyde Park, in said District, to hear and decide upon said application and petition, and ordered public notice thereof to be given to all persons interested therein, by publishing said order, together with the time and place of hearing, three weeks successively in the News and Citizen, a newspaper which circulates in the neighborhood of those persons interested in said estate, all of which publications shall be previous to the day assigned for hearing.
THEREFORE, you are hereby notified to appear before said Court, at the time and place assigned, then and there in said Court to make your objections to the granting of such license, if you see cause.
Given under my hand at Hyde Park, in said District, this 25th day of September, 1916.
52 NOYES G. WOOD, Judge.

No. 1163
REPORT OF THE CONDITION
OF THE
Lamoille County National Bank
at HYDE PARK, in the State of Vermont, at the close of business
SEPTEMBER 12, 1916

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts.....	\$121,527.77
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation.....	100,000.00
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of stock).....	5,000.00
Net amount due from Federal Reserve Bank.....	6,170.30
Net amount due from approved reserve agents in New York, Chicago and St. Louis.....	\$1,118.17
Net amount due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities.....	18,929.85
Net amount due from banks and bankers (other than included in 10 or 11).....	1,520.43
Other checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank.....	510.88
Outside checks and other cash items.....	1,451.03
Fractional currency, nickels & cents.....	145.77
Notes of other national banks.....	1,231.00
Coin and certificates.....	11,528.75
Legal-tender notes.....	40.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer.....	5,800.00
Total.....	\$464,506.22
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in.....	100,000.00
Surplus fund.....	20,000.00
Undivided profits, less current expenses, interest and taxes paid.....	30,583.13
Circulating notes outstanding.....	20,100.00
Net amount due to banks and bankers (other than included in 10 or 11).....	61,829.16
Individual deposits subject to check.....	77,000.82
Cashier's checks outstanding.....	28.00
Total demand deposits.....	311.77
31, 35, 39, 40, 41 and 42.....	\$77,420.39
Certificates of deposit.....	2,400.00
Other time deposits.....	73,733.34
Total time deposits.....	\$76,133.34
Total.....	\$464,506.22

STATE OF VERMONT, ss.
COUNTY OF LAMOILLE, ss.
I, HARRY A. NOYES, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
H. A. NOYES, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of Sept., 1916.
Correct—Attest.
H. M. McFARLAND,
J. L. PEARL,
R. S. PAGE, Directors.